

The Early Republic & Federalism

Today: The first political parties and presidents

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FEDERALISTS supported a strong federal government	DEMOCRATIC-REPUBLICANS supported a strong state government
Wealthier People: merchants, bankers, large landowners	Common People: farmers, small shopkeepers, laborers
Strongest in the North: especially in New England	Strongest in the South & West setting up Civil War sides
Believed in Gov't of the Upper Classes: distrusted the masses; feared the excesses of democracy Electoral College	Believed in Gov't by Common Man: gov't should work for the interests of the Common Man
Favored a Strong Central Gov't: loose or broad interpretation of the Constitution Elastic Clause 1-8-18 whatever is proper & necessary	Favored State's Rights: strict, narrow or literal interpretation of the Constitution

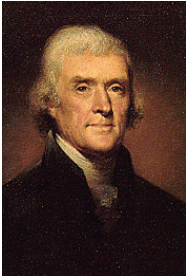



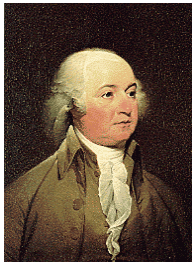
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FEDERALISTS	DEMO-REPUBS
Supported Hamilton's Financial Program: which benefited many Federalists <small>(First Secretary of the Treasury)</small>	Opposed Hamilton's Financial Program: felt it was harmful to the interest of the Common Man
Foreign Affairs: tended to favor Britain because many party leaders & members relied on trade with Britain for their economic livelihood	Foreign Affairs: favored France; felt a moral obligation because of the Revolution of 1776 and 1789 & Treaty of 1778

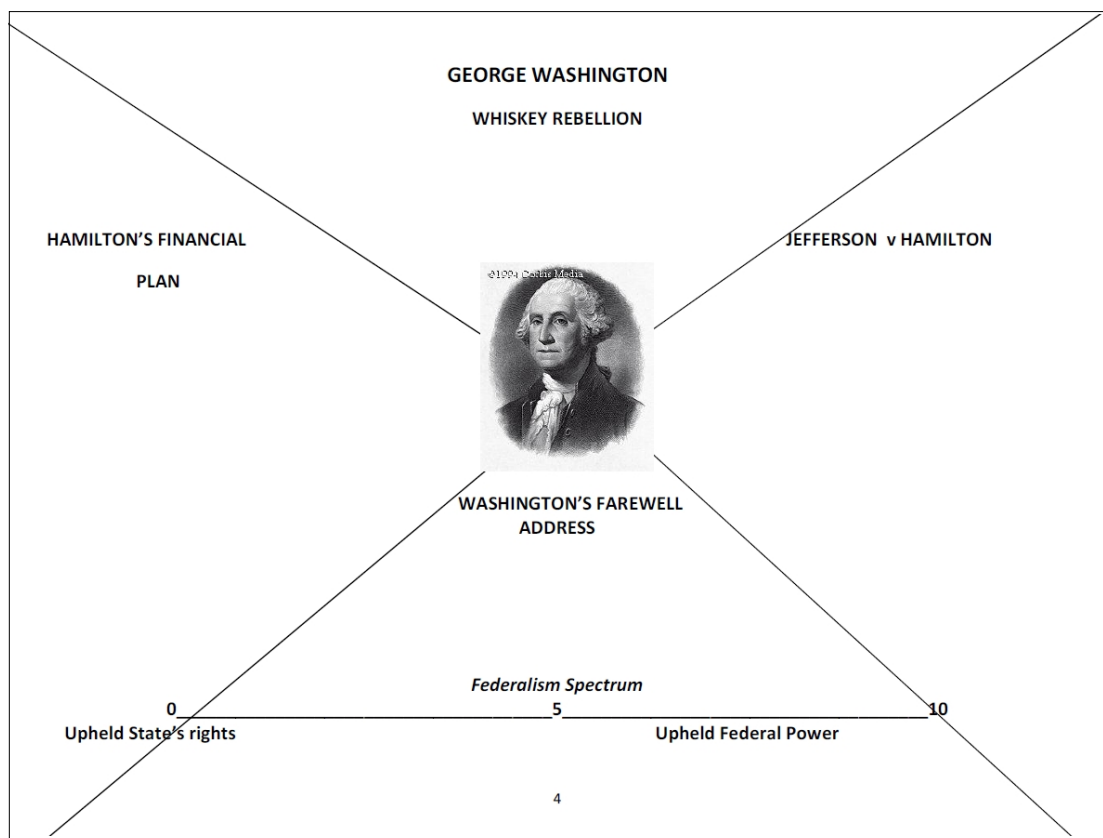
Growing Sectionalism within the new nation

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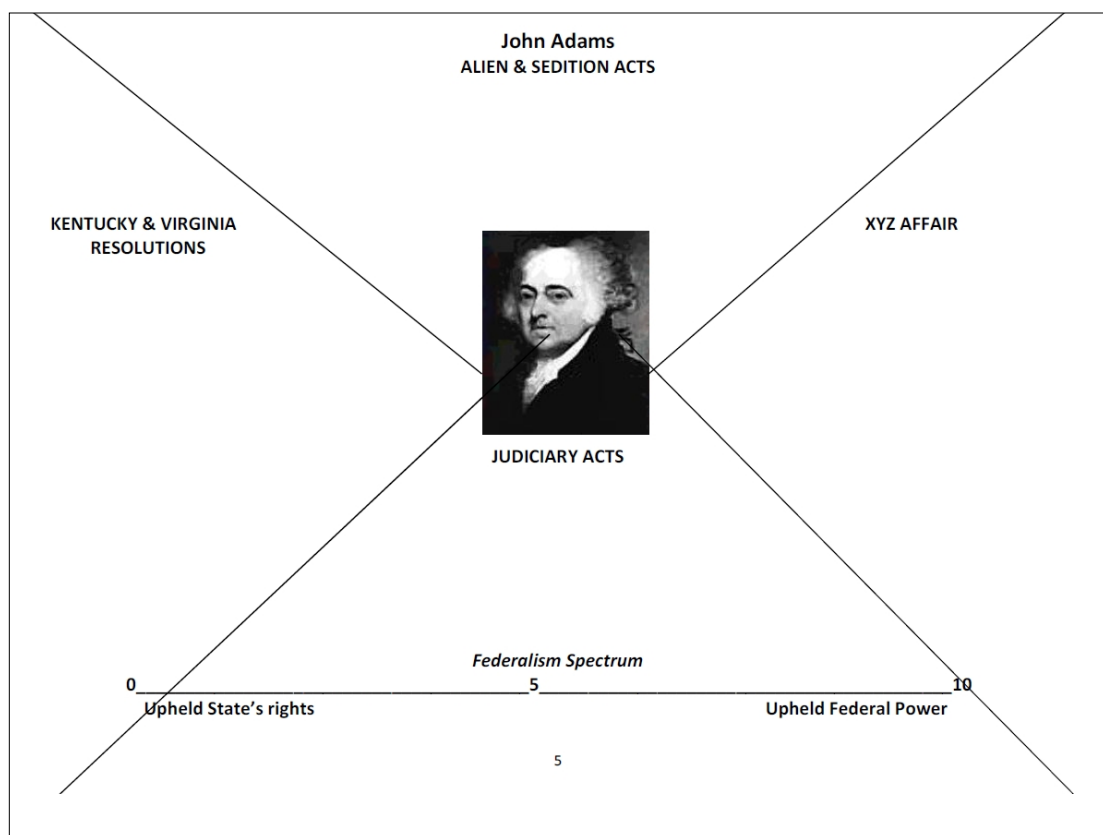
FIVE PRESIDENTS

 <p>Who am I? LA Purchase Marbury v Madison 1800 election</p>	 <p>Who am I? Missouri Compromise Era of Good</p>	 <p>Who am I? Whiskey Rebellion cabinet 2-term limit</p>	 <p>Who am I? War of 1812 Federalist</p>	 <p>Who am I? Alien & Sedition Acts XYZ Affair Nullification</p>
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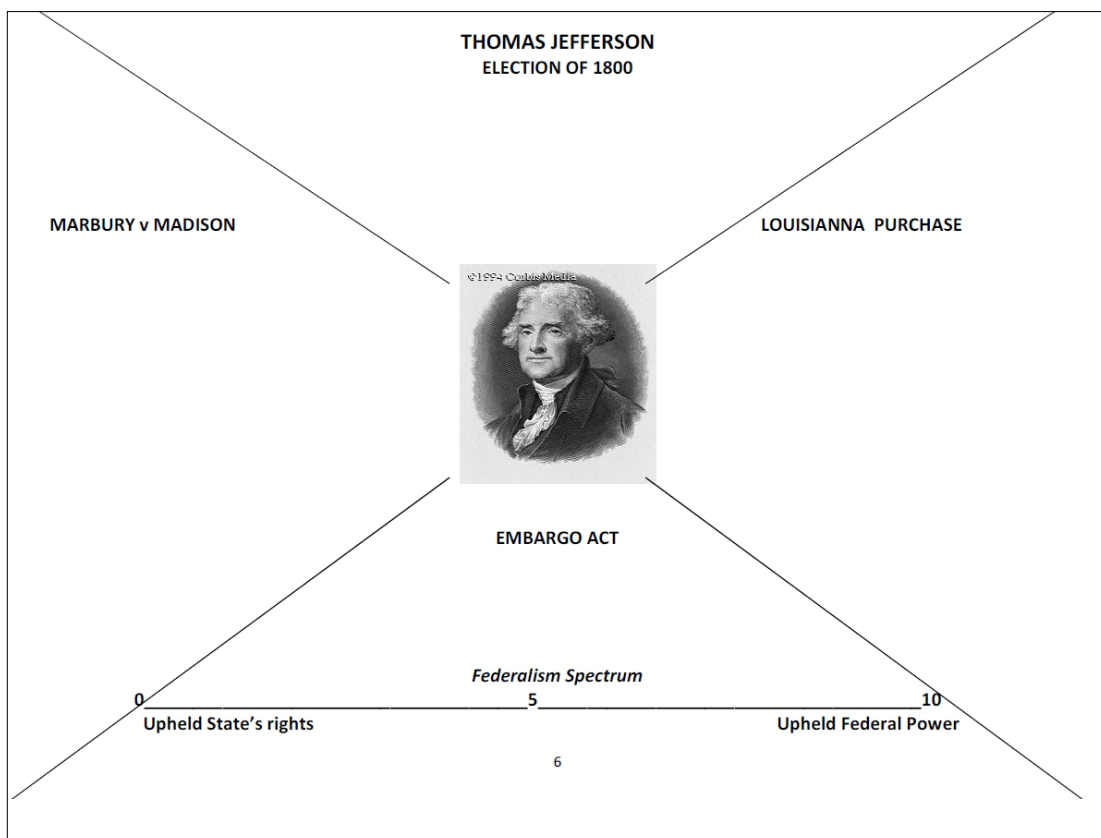
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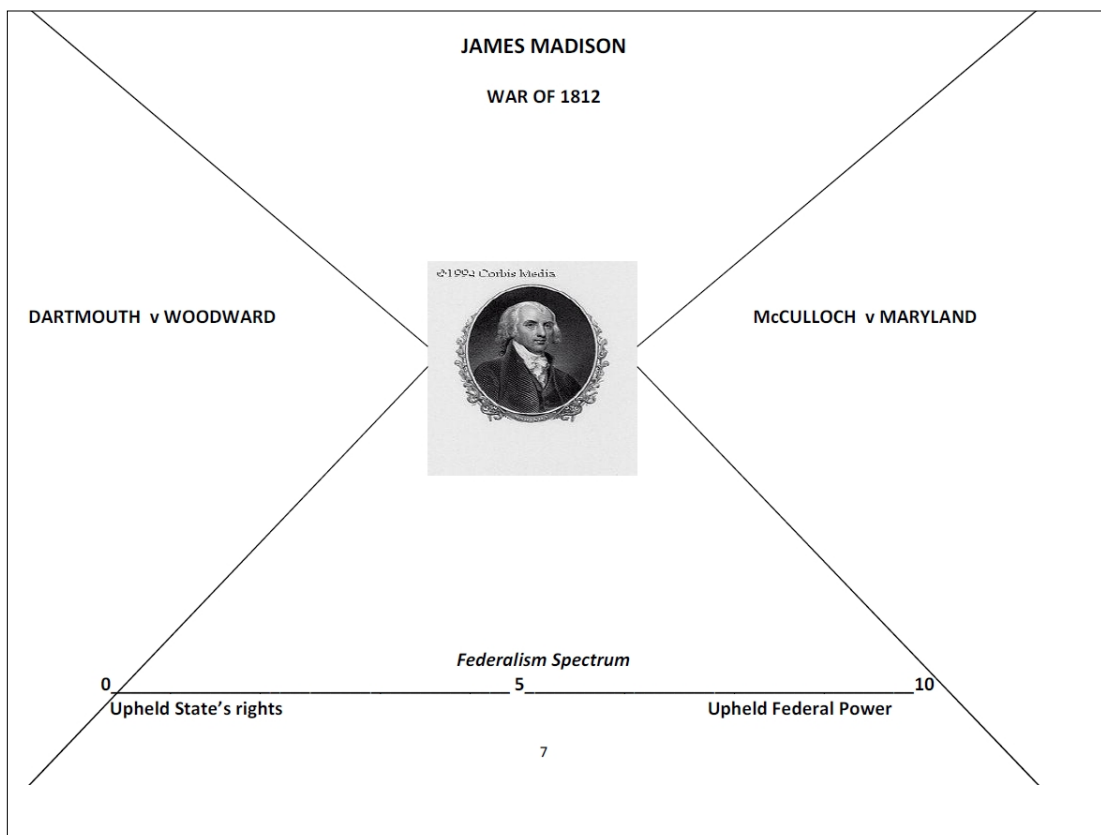
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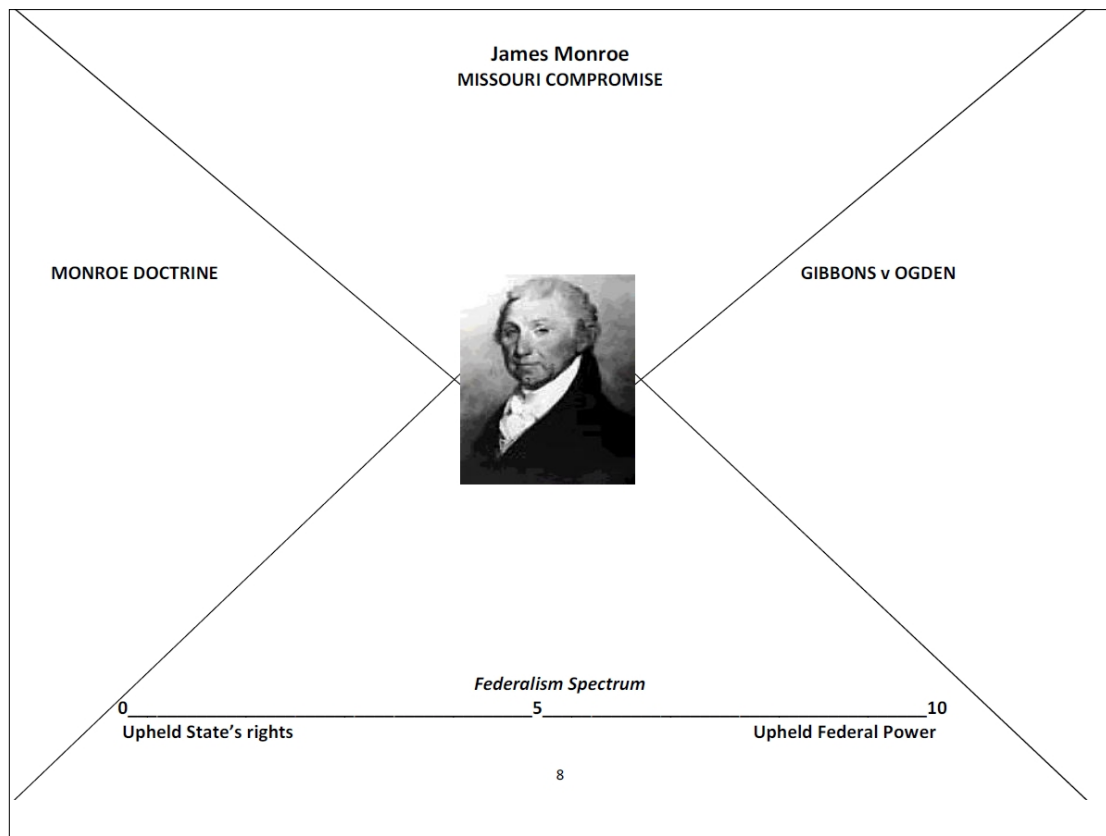
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Video Guide: The Presidents/Washington, Adams, Jefferson, Madison, & Monroe

Washington

What evidence was presented to demonstrate that Washington established the Executive Office into what it is today?

Adams

What were the positive's & negative's of Adams' presidency?

Jefferson

What evidence did you learn about that reflected Jefferson's Democratic-Republican beliefs? (strict constructionist)

How did he step away from his D-R values during his presidency? (loose constructionist)

Madison

What legacy did James Madison leave?

Which do you think is more true...*That the man defines the presidency or the presidency defines the man?* Explain your answer.

Monroe

Why was Monroe's presidency called an "Era of Good Feelings?" Was this true or not? Explain your answer.

How was Monroe's presidency a turning point?

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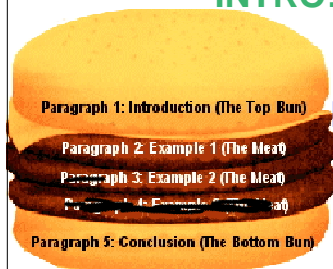
DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THE FIRST POLITICAL PARTIES

<i>Federalists</i>	<i>Democratic-Republicans</i>
Leader: Alexander <u>Hamilton</u>	Leader: <u>Thomas</u> Jefferson
Favored: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rule by the <u>wealthy</u> class • <u>Strong</u> federal government • Emphasis on <u>manufactured goods</u> • <u>Loose</u> interpretation of the Constitution • <u>British</u> alliance • National <u>banks</u> • Protective <u>tariffs</u> 	Favored: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rule by the <u>people</u> • Strong <u>state</u> government • Emphasis on <u>agricultural</u> products • <u>Strict</u> interpretation of the Constitution • <u>French</u> alliance • <u>State</u> banks • free <u>trade</u>

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Thematic essay: Intro, body paragraphs, conclusion

INTRO: Puts essay in a historical context and includes a **THESIS** statement that clearly addresses the question.



BODY PARAGRAPHS: Begin with a topic sentence that links to the thesis statement. Includes supportive detail about the topic.
- Each topic gets a separate paragraph

CONCLUSION: Summarizes the essay, possibly by restating the main theme and/or thesis.

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What to know for the essay

**Federalism spectrum - where do each of
the first five presidents fall on this scale**

**Major events of each president that helped
define their place on the spectrum**

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